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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Bianca M. Conti-Fine  
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**PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Office Action mailed December 4, 2000, said period of response being extended from March 4, 2001 to June 4, 2001.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of \$445.00 to cover the Extension of Time Fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8:** The undersigned hereby certifies that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on this 15 day of June, 2001.

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